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MOVEMENT FOR BETTER HOMES IN BAY ST. LOUIS

Women of Bay St. Louis, Operating Under Auspices of Bay St. Louis Study Club, Given Annual and Practical Demonstration of Object.

Operating under the auspices of the Bay St. Louis Women's Study Club, a number of wideawake and progressive women, associated with the Better Homes movement, have literally transformed the interior of the C. C. McDonald property in Carroll avenue from a dwelling of yesterday to one of today. Clever minds and deft fingers have caused a veritable transformation. However, the painters and furnishers have as yet to do their work and visitors are asked to withhold judgment until this "finishing touch" will have been accomplished.

It is quite interesting to note the progress of this constructive endeavor, not only for material result but for all that the Better Home movement represents and the influence resultant for Bay St. Louis. On completion of this particular home the public will be invited.

KILN ACTIVITIES.

Mr. Fabian Curet and his friend, Miss Araba Hartshorn, of New Orleans, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Curet.

The P. T. A. is giving a farewell program for the teachers Thursday, April 16th.

Mr. Randolph Necaise, of New Orleans, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Necaise, the past week-end.

Miss Virgie Curet, of Kiln, spent the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. E. Curet, in New Orleans.

Miss Evelyn Dubois, of Poplarville, A. H. S., spent an enjoyable week-end with her people.

Miss Eva Mauffray and her friend, Miss Mary Grace Sims, were the guests of Mrs. N. T. Mauffray for the last week-end.

Miss Edna Lott and her friend, Miss Ruby Castello, of New Orleans, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lott.

Miss Anita Curren spent the Easter holidays with friends in Barth.

Mr. Willie Garriga, of South Carolina, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Garriga.

The tank at the mill went dry last Tuesday evening about 7 o'clock and when the water came on again the "Yellow Hiker" help had gone home and the kicker had to wash the dishes.

Dr. Shipp, county health officer, was a pleasant visitor to the community on last Wednesday, looking after his vaccination patients.

KILN SCHOOL ITEMS.

Mr. Howard, agricultural teacher of Kiln, attended an agricultural meeting at Poplarville last Friday and Saturday. He was the first speaker on the program.

Miss Ethel Powell is spending the week in Kiln, having rehearsals for the closing exercises, which will begin Tuesday night and continue through Friday night.

The students of Kiln will begin their final examination Monday.

The Boy Scouts of Kiln are getting their cooking utensils and other equipments that they will need to go on an all-night camp at Gum Landing, Monday night. They are planning to leave Sardis' store at 4:30 p. m. Friends and parents are invited to visit them up, until taps (10:00 p. m.).

At the last meeting of the Scouts Miss Ethel Powell gave them an interesting talk on "Scout courtesy."

The Scout executive, Mr. J. B. Prichard, of Biloxi, will be here next week to lecture to the boys.

Mr. L. M. Scarborough and Mr. A. W. Armstrong, of Biloxi, were pleasant visitors to our school Wednesday. They were very much impressed with the fine work and delightful atmosphere of the place, as they expressed themselves.

OPPOSITION TO BRICK PAVEMENT.

A strong local opposition is developing to the proposition of paving the streets of the city with vitrified brick and it is planned to call a mass meeting to protest or the getting up of a petition to be presented at the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors. It is stated, by those opposed, that brick is more expensive; that it is a paving of twenty-five years ago, and that a Warrenite or similar paving as at Pass Christian and elsewhere on the Coast front is preferable from every point of view; that it is more serviceable and costs less.

Mr. Ernest J. Leonard is positively opposed to brick pavement and voices an emphatic opposition to it, presenting an array of arguments why brick should not be used. He contends a better material may be had for less and with the same money more surface may be covered.

Mr. George E. Penn is vigorous in his opposition to brick and is leading a number of citizens in organized effort in asking the Board to reconsider its bids for the work, qualifying vitrified brick.

These and other gentlemen are active in the campaign and will be heard from in due time and as the matter progresses so they state.

REAL ESTATE VALUES CONTINUE ACTIVE.

There Seems No Lull in Acceleration of Values—Improved and Unimproved Values Hold Own—Buying and Selling Continue Active.

The present week has again proven another busy one in the local real estate market. There seems no cessation, but, on the contrary, there is a constant acceleration. Anything in Bay St. Louis is good these days, and the fact of the city are to be paved immediately, the new bridge across Bay St. Louis will also be built at the earliest possible moment, and the fact, paramount of all, that the Illinois Central Railroad has penetrated the Mississippi Gulf Coast, with a direct through service over its own lines from Chicago to the Gulf waters and Coast cities, is a fact that spells permanence.

The advance is largely predicated not on the coming of the I. C. but the program for expansion and improvement, coupled with service, that master railroad of the country plans. President Markham has said officially: "I will make a second Florida of the Gulf Coast in five years."

The real estate office of R. C. Engman and Wm. B. Cooper, in Main street, is alive with business. The place is open day and night and there is always something doing. George H. Penn is active with operations, both locally and in New Orleans, traveling to and fro daily, handling the sale of the Hoffmann lands in Nicholson avenue.

E. E. Lucas has made quite a number of transfers the past few days, dealing in both improved and unimproved realty, and is quite busy. August Schiro is among the leading sellers. He sold an unusually large number of vacant lots, including some of the largest pieces of land in the corporate limits. Like the others, he is alive and getting his share of business.

A number of sales have been made privately. There has been quite a number of quick turnovers the past few days, the like of which has never been equaled.

The wise man buys now. Later it will be too late. Like time and tide, Bay St. Louis real estate values wait for no man.

CONTEMPLATING YELLOW TAXI-CABS FOR BAY ST. LOUIS.

Vice President John L. Toye, of Yellow Taxi Company, Spends Three Days Looking Over Local Field. Says "It Looks Good."

After a stay of three days in Bay St. Louis, looking over the local field and vicinity, John L. Toye, vice president of the Yellow Taxi Corporation, returned to his home at New Orleans during the early part of the week.

Mr. Toye came here for the expressed purpose of investigating the advisability of his company putting in a fleet of yellow taxis for local country trade. After remaining three days the situation was looked into from every angle and he reported the field looked good and promising. That the matter had to be taken up with his company and if the service was not installed just now it would in all probability be in the near future.

Mr. Toye said, with the rapid growth of Bay St. Louis, he felt confident Bay St. Louis would be on the same standing as Biloxi and Gulfport, and already it was one of the leading and fastest growing cities on the Coast.

While here he was the guest of his friend, W. W. Foward, and combined pleasure with business. Both he and his host made several unusually fine catches of speckled trout from the second "jigger" of the L. & N. bridge.

A FAREWELL PARTY.

A delightful surprise party was given last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, on Main street. The party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Skyles, who, at the request of their many friends, will be leaving Bay St. Louis in a few days. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Skyles, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Borden and son, Duane, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker and little daughter, Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. F. Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pfeister, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Temple, Mrs. Pontida, Mrs. Agnes, Miss Olivia and Miss Margaret, Eleanor, Solomon and George Brown, Miss Ladd, Messrs. Lee Burnham, Alden Mauffray, Paul Porter, Floyd Henderson, J. L. Harrison, R. Logsdon, Silverio McKee, B. Staples, Robert Gaudin, K. Prevo, M. McDonald and others. Music was furnished by Saunders' Band, and refreshments were served. Messrs. Leonard and George Brown assisted in the serving.

Mrs. John A. Green and Miss Agnes Henderson, Wednesday, April 15, spent the day in New Orleans attending the annual meeting of the Louisiana State Association of Teachers.

Unprecedented Activity Unabated. United Fruit Co. To Gulfport Reported—Local Sales.

Good evening, how much real estate have you purchased this week? Or, possibly, how much have you sold?

Unprecedented activity of the past few weeks continues unabated. In fact, this week has been the busiest of all. Local attorneys are swamped with titles and making deeds, and real estate agents never had so active business.

Someone asks, when will the tide subside? Well, that's hard to answer. New developments are arising each day. Yesterday morning's Times-Picayune carried quite an article, the general tenor of which expressed apprehension over the report the United Fruit Company of that city would transfer much of its port business over to Gulfport. The T-P finds much consolation in its recital of late improvements made to the New Orleans dock facilities, the burden of which is shared by the Fruit Company. It says that company advanced on loan basis a million dollars for dock facilities and that the company has another million dollars invested in the equipment for unloading bananas.

This may be true, but the fact remains the United Fruit Company has purchased territory in Gulfport and is working in conjunction with the Illinois Central railroad. Again, it is hinted the United Fruit Company is interested in a proposition for an ice manufactory of unusual proportions.

Realtors from Florida, the men who have made Florida and the State over the biggest rise of values, are invading the Gulf Coast, looking over the field, and outside capital, it is said, is ready to enter the era of development unparalleled.

Bay St. Louis is holding its own. The past week is a better one than

the last. There has been more deals, more offers and better propositions. However, all is not of record yet. There has not been the time. Many big tentative deals are held back for obvious reasons. In this connection the following will be of interest, even though the list is far from complete but taken at random:

H. S. Weston, of Logtown, manufacturer and capitalist, has invested heavily during the week, many deals of magnitude, which have not as yet been filed for record, but nevertheless consummated.

Lots on north side of Nicholson Avenue, between beach and railroad right of way, from Estate of Mrs. Catherine Hoffman, to George H. Penn and A. R. Hart, of Bay St. Louis, for cash consideration of 10,000.00.

New dwelling, home of Joseph and Ella Parilla, adjoining Knights of Columbus Hall, in Main street, sold to Alphons Evans and Sidney Otis, in such success. Nowhere do roses grow as well as in Bay St. Louis, and no garden in this city carries more result than the rose garden of Mrs. Lacoste, modestly located in the rear of the home on the south beach front.

Dr. A. Kergosien this week purchased the lot in Carroll avenue adjoining Episcopal rectory, owned for a number of years by Mrs. Hermogene Lucas, but recently sold to other parties, for a cash consideration of \$1,600.00. Dr. Kergosien plans to build a modern bungalow for family occupancy.

The Menou mansion, on the beach front, originally built by Mrs. Evans, of Minneapolis, was sold to David Weston, of Logtown, for a cash consideration of \$25,000.00, and is one of the finest places on the front shore.

"Bonheur," the French summer home at Cedar Point, near Julia street, was sold this week to Mrs. John L. Bryan, of New Orleans, who made the purchase to have a family

given to the winners. In the examinations Gertrude Perkins received first place in American literature, and Adolph Schreck first place in current history. We failed to do as well in the other examinations which we entered. Although the contestants did their best, evidently there was some one who did better. The cup for the girls' Coast champion in tennis was presented to the winners, Gertrude Perkins and Virginia Chapman. We earned fourth place in number of points won by the different schools. Gulfport, Biloxi and Pascagoula only scoring more points than Bay High. We are proud of the success which we attained. Taking into consideration the number of schools entered and their enrollment, our full share of the medals would have been less than one. So we are glad to have brought home two gold medals, the tennis cup and the knowledge that our school had won fourth place. We hope to do better next year.

On Tuesday, April 7, the eighth grade, accompanied by Mrs. W. O. Sylvester, Clara Ladner and Clyde Sylvester, were entertained at the Merchants Bank, of this city. Mr. Rea explained the principles of banking, showed them the charter of the bank and bonds of different countries, also many different species of coins. He showed them the vault where the money was kept and explained how it was locked by the time-set lock. Mr. Chas. Traub illustrated the method of bookkeeping by the automatic adding and operating machine. Each person feels well repaid for his or her visit, for useful to them.

A play in which the lower grades of this school and the pupils of the Webb and Taylor Schools will take part will be given at the Woodmen's Hall, Friday night, April 24th, at 8 o'clock. An admission of 15 and 25 cents will be charged. You are cordially invited to come and bring someone with you.

SUFFERS COLLAPSE.

George Bryson, chief of the engineering department of the bridge construction work at Biopoles, for the American Bridge Company, was stricken with a nervous collapse during the early part of the week, overcame by the strain of his great work, and was carried to his room at the Weston Hotel, where he was attended by Dr. A. P. Smith, with day and night nursing in attendance. Mr. Bryson suffered intensely, but we are glad to note he is better and able to be up at this writing, hoping to return to his work. Mr. Bryson is a brother of Richard Bryson, well known and former resident of Bay St. Louis, and himself no stranger locally.

North Hills, 15 cent a pound, of 100 lbs. for \$1.00, at the Beach Drive Store.

home, paying \$6,800.00. Mrs. Bryan spent the summer last season at this place.

A. E. Thiery conveyed to Mrs. Harriet Minder 120 feet along the east side of St. Charles street, adjoining property head of Front, for \$25,000.00 cash.

Mrs. A. Battistella, for a cash consideration of \$2,000.00, conveyed to E. J. Leonard 340 feet along the north side of Ulm avenue, adjoining property of Earl Rhorer.

E. S. Drake to D. R. Weston, conveyed one of the first sales of the present realty activity several lots north side of Felicity street, with improvements, for cash consideration of \$11,000.00.

Dr. Joseph A. O'Hara sold his North Shore Drive summer home for a consideration of \$3,500 to A. G. Tebo, of New Orleans, who will occupy same as summer home. This sale was made before the advance. It is worth more than double the money today.

Otto F. Briede, of Waveland beach front, conveyed to Jos. L. Fortier, of New Orleans, 95 feet of land east of Seaside Cottage No. 2, for \$2,500. Mr. Fortier is building at present a dwelling, minimum cost of \$5,000.

Mrs. Josephine M. Stephens sold her Dunbar avenue property, 246 feet front, to D. R. Weston for \$1,200.00 cash.

Frank Hymel conveyed his former dwelling in Union street to Milton Phillips, of Bay St. Louis, for a cash consideration of \$3,000.00, and Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, now residing with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Gex, plan to go to housekeeping.

E. Solier purchased from E. J. Leonard yesterday lots in Second street, who made the buy about a week or ten days since. The price paid represented an advance of \$2,000.00, and at that it is an excellent buy for Mr. Solier.

There will be an important meeting at the residence of Mr. Leonard Franz, in St. Charles street, next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, of the Ladies of Catholic Neighborhood Circle No. 1, and the ladies of the congregation of the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf interested in the work of collecting the first installment of the church pledges, are asked to attend this meeting and help the work and the church. There will be no further invitation but this, and the ladies are asked to come forward. Mrs. Franz also extends a personal invitation to her home.

Mrs. Octave Fayard and daughters, Misses Celine and Emma Fayard, sent The Echo from their wonderful garden around their home in Main street a cluster of giant poppies, of all colors and shapes, the most gorgeous and giant-like blossoms of the kind we have ever seen grown in local soil. It is quite a credit to these ladies, who successfully grow rare and beautiful flowers for the love of the beautiful, and is another boost for the Gulf Coast soil that grows anything that will grow elsewhere.

Mr. Frank Hymel came out from New Orleans Wednesday to close the sale of his former dwelling in Union near Second street, and spent the day mingling with the many local friends. He says he was glad to be back in the midst of the former home town and we are satisfied the home town folks were just as glad to see him. Mr. Hymel is a valuable asset to the city of New Orleans.

Mrs. Harry Stuart Saucier has returned from New Orleans, where she was taken recently to Toulo Infirmary, suffering from an acute neurasthenia affliction back of the head and neck, following an illness from the flu. Mrs. Saucier has sufficiently recovered to be up and home again, which is good news to the many friends of the family.

Catholic Neighborhood Circle No. 1 announce a benefit card party on the evening of Friday, April 24th, at the Bay-Waveland Yacht Club, 9 o'clock. Not only every member of the Circle but the public in general is cordially invited to spend a delightful evening for a good cause.

BEAUTIFUL AFFAIR FOR MISS WESTON.

A beautiful affair given at the Hotel Weston on Tuesday afternoon, the 14th, by Mrs. W. W. Chapman for Miss Mary Weston, of Logtown, who on yesterday became the bride of Mr. Fred Howell, was noted for its interest and beauty. Those present were: Mrs. A. S. Weston, Logtown; Miss W. W. Chapman, Bay St. Louis; Miss Caro Weston, Bay St. Louis; Mrs. D. R. Weston, Logtown; Mrs. J. H. Weston, Logtown; Mrs. H. B. Weston, Logtown; Mrs. Ethel Otis, Logtown; Mrs. Mildred Huntington, Logtown; Mrs. Lucille Weston, Logtown; Mrs. Lamar Otis, Logtown; Mrs. R. B. Barker, Logtown; Mrs. Clara Varney, Logtown; Miss Alice Fountain, Logtown.

SOCIETY WOMAN GROWS ROSES WITH MARKED SUCCESS.

Although Busy With Home and Social Duties, Mrs. E. J. Lacoste Finds Ample Time to Successfully Grow a Paradise of Roses.

A visitor to Bay St. Louis from Chicago this winter, admiring the wonder rose gardens of the city, said: "By the early part of June we will have roses from our own gardens," and went into ecstasy over the roses that bloom here all through the winter. It is true Bay St. Louis is noted for the success and beauty of its many gardens, but none exceed the success of Mrs. E. J. Lacoste, whose rose garden is the winner of admiration.

Just now thousands of rare buds and roses with their exotic fragrance and rare loveliness attract all visitors to view the sight. Mrs. Lacoste's success is phenomenal. Her collection is noted for its variety and selection. It would be unfair to enumerate some without all. Yes, there are Malmaison, Radiance, Henrietta, Pearl de Jardin, Marechal Neil, Kilmarney, and many more, and there seems to be a rivalry among the bushes and climbers as to which can bloom the most profusely and gorgeously. Mrs. Lacoste loves her roses, abides with them and practically talks in that subtle language of encouragement the witchery of which only roses can understand. There must be not only a great satisfaction but a charm added to life in such success. Nowhere do roses grow as well as in Bay St. Louis, and no garden in this city carries more result than the rose garden of Mrs. Lacoste, modestly located in the rear of the home on the south beach front.

Although a busy woman with her home and family, connected with club work, and active socially, she finds time for this interesting work, and which by the way is a splendid advertisement for this section.

A WONDER ROSE.

Miss Mary Colson, principal of the R. W. Webb School, sends The Echo to sample her rose garden, showing "White American Beauty" that measured six inches across and for marvelous beauty is unsurpassed. It is a local product and is an evidence of the possibilities of our soil and matchless climate.

HART-FAYARD.

Pretty Wedding at the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf Thursday Evening.

A pretty wedding of the spring season was solemnized at the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf Thursday evening, the contracting parties Mr. Lawrence Hart, well known young man of Kiln, this county, and Miss Eldred Fayard, accomplished and attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fayard, of Bay St. Louis. Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch, pastor, performed the ceremony. Miss Emma Fayard, sister of the bride, and Mr. Alvin Weinberg were attendants.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of "Lohengrin," Mrs. V. E. Weber at the organ. Mrs. John J. Ryan sang Gounod's "Ave Maria" during the signing. Miss Louise A. Armstrong violinist. Miss Ryan's voice was never heard to better advantage. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Hart left the same evening for Kiln, where they will reside in future.

HOWELL-WESTON.

A wedding of unusual interest and prominence took place at Logtown yesterday afternoon when Miss Mary Weston, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Weston, became the bride of Fred Howell, prominent resident of Sardis, Miss. Alice Fountain was the maid of honor.

The wedding was largely attended by friends from parts of this section and the gifts received by the bride couple were unusually numerous and handsome.

Mrs. Howell is well known for her many social and charitable activities. During the war she was one of the most active workers of the county in the Red Cross cause, and no appeal of worth has failed to receive her interest and aid.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell will make their home at Sardis.

DEATH OF P. J. MCGINN.

The death of P. J. McGinn at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. W. Taylor, at 8001 Hickory street, New Orleans, Tuesday, was received here with general regret. A native of New Orleans, he was aged 64 years, and is survived by two sons, Joseph and Samuel, and four daughters, Mrs. Curtis L. Waller, of Tallahassee, Fla.; Mrs. R. W. Taylor, of New Orleans, and Misses Rosetta and Ann McGinn.

Mr. McGinn was a resident of Bay St. Louis for many years and served his city as alderman and in different public trusts. He was a man of cordial personality and genuine in every principle of high ideals and morals. He was in every sense a good man and esteemed by all who knew him.

Interment took place at Greenwood cemetery, New Orleans, and was largely attended.

CO. SUPT. KELLAR HAS OPEN LETTER TO SCHOOL HEADS

Stresses Necessity of Trustees and Teachers Attending State Association Meeting—In Accordance With State Superintendent Bond.

Bay St. Louis, Miss., April 16, 1925. To The Principals and Trustees.

Dear Sirs—W. F. Bond, State superintendent of education, in a letter sent to school executives throughout the State, says: "It is now the consensus of opinion that every public school in the State should be closed during the State Teachers' meeting, and that teachers should be allowed full pay for the time lost in attending this meeting. The M. E. A. is your organization's great clearing house of ideas, and where your intellectual and inspirational batteries are recharged. It is therefore worth all the time and money it costs."

The State Board of Health holds from four to eight conferences each year to discuss the work to be done, and the best means of getting the work accomplished. Every county or city health officer in the State is sent a notice of these meetings. Every one of them is required to attend each meeting. Their opinion is that some idea might be presented that will help some doctor to do his work more efficiently.

The extension organization of the State, as represented by the county agents and home demonstration agents, hold annually a State-wide meeting at A. & M. College, of from six to ten days' duration, and in addition to this State-wide meeting, several group meetings are held of from two to three days' duration for each group. Attending all of these meetings are mandatory on the agents and their expenses are paid to and from the meetings, as well as their expenses while in attendance. The reason given for this compulsion is that it is felt a greater spirit of co-operation and fellowship can be developed; that the agents over the State will have their enthusiasm aroused and greater things will be accomplished; that perhaps one agent is doing a piece of work more effectively than others, and by the exchange of ideas all may grow.

The State Livestock Sanitary Board hold State-wide meetings, as the situation of the industry demands. The members of this board are required to attend these meetings.

If it is worth while for these groups of people to come together in such frequent meetings, is it not probably of equal importance for our teachers to attend the annual meetings of the Mississippi Educational Association? Our teachers and Missions are asked to get their intellectual and inspirational batteries recharged.

If these other meetings are of such importance, should not this meeting be of sufficient importance for each community to take steps to see that their teachers are required to attend? In view of this movement, that I propose to pay out of the teachers' educational funds one-half of the traveling expenses of any teacher, in any school in this county, who won the most literary points in their respective schools in the field day exercises. This proposal has a two-fold purpose; first to secure greater attendance in the Mississippi Educational Association, and second, to create a greater interest in the field day movement.

Every community in the State is judged by prospective residents, by the kind of schools it has and by the attitude and growth of the teaching force.

Yours for better schools and more progressive teachers.

T. E. KELLAR,
Co. Supt. of Education.

FLATTOP CLUB WORK.

The ladies of Flattop Club met at the home of Mrs. Lott McArthur on April 7th. Eight members answered the roll call. Minutes of the previous meeting were read. The report of the membership committee indicated that several ladies had been interviewed, who are interested in our work, and we hope to win them soon.

Mrs. Felton Whitfield invited the ladies to come to her home on April 16th to make may-haw jelly. Miss O'Donnell agreed to secure the service if possible from Mrs. Ben Lee, whose jelly won first prize the County Fair last year, to aid Mrs. W. A. Miller in a demonstration in making jelly.

The county council was held at Flattop school house, Friday, April 3. Several from different clubs attended the council. A real good picnic dinner was spread on the grounds. Everyone enjoyed the day just fine. We hope the next council day will be better than this one.

Circulars were given out relative to balanced breakfast and for the school lunch room. The feature of the club meeting was the demonstration given by Miss O'Donnell in the use and application of alabaster.

Cake and coffee was served by the hostess, after which we adjourned to meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Miller, where a demonstration will be given in making iceless refrigerators, April 9th.

Mrs. J. B. Wheat, president; Mrs. Lott McArthur, vice president; Mrs. W. A. Miller, secretary-treasurer.

CITY ECHOES.

—Anso Films, the original Roll Film, give best results, even in cloudy weather. You can get them at The Beach Drug Store.

—Attorney W. J. Gex returned home last night from Poplarville, where he spent the week professionally in the Pearl River county courts.

—Mr. A. D. Gebhard, of New Orleans, enjoyed the Easter holidays on the Coast, house guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dillon, at their home in State and Touline streets.

—Moth Balls, 15 cents a pound, or 7 pounds for \$1.00, at the Beach Drug Store.

—Mr. W. W. Forward had as his house guest from Saturday to Monday Mr. John L. Toye, of New Orleans, who, combining a business stay with pleasure, enjoyed the visit to the Gulf Coast immensely.

—Attorney C. L. Waller, while en route home from New Orleans Thursday to Tallahassee, Fla., spent a few hours in the interest of business connected with the sale of his late corner Front and Goodchildren streets, reported sold for \$9,500.

—Moth Balls, 15 cents a pound, or 7 pounds for \$1.00, at the Beach Drug Store.

—Miss Yolande Boulogny, attractive member of the younger set in New Orleans, has returned to New Orleans, after a week-end visit to Miss Corinne, who is at the season Villa on the North Shore Drive.

—Attorney Carl Marshall is spending the week at Jackson, practicing before the Supreme Court. Mr. Marshall is one of the attorneys in the income tax test case, representing the plaintiff side and is most active in the premises.

—Mrs. Ruth Brosnan and two charming young daughters, Caskie and Strelan, have returned to New Orleans, after spending the Easter holidays with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Forward, and Mrs. D. Brosnan, in Uman avenue.

—Moth Balls, 15 cents a pound, or 7 pounds for \$1.00, at the Beach Drug Store.

—Mr. S. M. Fuch came out from New Orleans Tuesday noon and spent the balance of the day combining business with pleasure, visiting friends of his former home town. Ever a friend of the Gulf Coast, he was charmed with his all-too-brief visit.

—Miss Nell London, of Mobile, has returned to the Hotel Weston as hostess, after an absence of several months, and patrons of that popular hostelry are glad to welcome her cheery and attentive presence back again. Miss London succeeds Mrs. Oliver, who left Sunday for Los Angeles, Cal., where she has taken a similar hotel position.

—Moth Balls, 15 cents a pound, or 7 pounds for \$1.00, at the Beach Drug Store.

—Messrs. C. C. McDonald, George H. Edwards and Dr. J. A. Evans left during the week for Brown's Wells, Miss., where they will rest for a week or more. Mr. Edwards is convalescing from a recent spell of illness and Dr. Evans and Mr. McDonald are in need of recuperation.

—Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Telhiard celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary at their residence in Carroll avenue on the evening of Monday, April 13th. About thirty guests were present and dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. Mr. and Mrs. Telhiard received quite a number of handsome presents.

—The Gillette Razor Company has made a special shipment of 100 Gold Plated College Set Razors to the Beach Drug Store, of this city, and for thirty days the special price of 95 cents will be effective. Get yours today. See the show window, which is full of them.

—You can get an Anso Camera for 1.00 at the Beach Drug Store.

—Mr. Henry Klempner, civil engineer for the city of Baton Rouge, La., spent the week-end visiting at the family home of Mr. Victor Blaise in Washington street. Mr. Klempner is a frequent visitor to Bay St. Louis, thoroughly enamored with the Gulf Coast. He says Baton Rouge is the fastest growing city in the South.

A. & G. THEATRE PROGRAM

Attractions Coming For Next Week.

MONDAY, APRIL 20:
Leatrice Joy in "Changing Husbands" and Pathé comedy.

TUESDAY, APRIL 21:
"Sea Hawk" and News.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22:
"Sea Hawk" and News.

THURSDAY, APRIL 23:
Florence Vidor in "Christine of the Hungry Heart" and News.

FRIDAY, APRIL 24:
Lionel Barrymore in "Unseeing Eyes," and comedy.

SATURDAY, APRIL 25:
Anna Q. Nilsson in "Side Show of Life" and comedy. Matinee at 4:30 p. m.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY BANK, OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.

Located at Bay St. Louis, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business April 6th, 1925, made to the Superintendent of Banks.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$1,147,414.75
Overdrafts, unsecured	718.70
United States Bonds, Certificates of Indebtedness and War Savings Stamps	85,334.17
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	513,942.43
Warrants (State, County and Municipal)	334.00
Guaranty Fund with State Treasurer	5,000.00
Building House and Lot	18,000.00
Other Real Estate owned	2,830.00
Furniture and Fixtures	15,700.00
Due from other Banks, commercial or reserve funds	221,028.42
Exchange and Checks for next day's clearing	1,235.20
Currency	14,832.00
Gold Coin	1,397.50
Silver Coin, Nickels and Cents	2,156.40
Total	\$2,027,143.57
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	40,000.00
Surplus Fund	115,000.00
Undivided Profits, less amount paid for interest, taxes and current expenses	11,982.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	819,543.61
Savings Deposits	224,835.19
Time Certificates of Deposit	320,583.39
Cashier's Checks	203.52
Cashier's Checks	2,539.02
Due Branch Banks	408,283.38
Payable	70,000.00
Reserved for Accrued Taxes	3,152.39
All other items of Liability, viz: Reserved for Dividends	6,000.00
Total	\$2,027,143.57

I, Leo W. Seal, Cashier, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of the Hancock County Bank of Bay St. Louis, Miss., located at Bay St. Louis, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business on the 6th day of April, 1925, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:
LEO W. SEAL, Cashier.
R. C. ENGMAN,
E. J. LEONHARD, Directors.

State of Mississippi, County of Hancock.
Sworn to and subscribed before me, J. A. Breath, a Justice of the Peace and ex-officio Notary Public, this 17th day of April, 1925.

J. A. BREATH,
(Seal.)
My commission expires first Monday in January, 1928.

STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE PEARLINGTON BRANCH OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY BANK.

Located at Logtown, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business April 6th, 1925, made to the Superintendent of Banks.

RESOURCES.	
Overdrafts, unsecured	\$ 105.63
Guaranty Fund with State Treasurer	500.00
Due from other Banks, commercial or reserve funds	190,263.33
Total	\$190,868.96
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$ 10,000.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	70,833.32
Savings Deposits	74,035.14
Total	\$154,868.46

I, Leo W. Seal, Cashier, do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of the Pearlington Branch of the Hancock County Bank, located at Logtown, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business on the 6th day of April, 1925, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:
LEO W. SEAL, Cashier.
R. C. ENGMAN,
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By Harry W. Fitzpatrick & Company BAY SAINT LOUIS REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION

Well built raised bungalow No. 410 Third St., at 11 a. m. Two attractive double bungalows 400-11 13-15 Third St. at 11:30 a. m. and duplex No. 112 Washington St. All at auction on the premises.

MONDAY, APRIL 20TH

No. 410 Third St., is a nice raised home, on lot approximately 150x150, just 1 block off beach; has dining room, 3 bed rooms, kitchen, bath, hot water, screened, 4 out-houses, porches, screened breakfast room, garage, 7 bearing pecan trees, etc.

Nos. 409-11-13-15 Third St., each are on lots approximately 50x223. Just one block off beach, each side has 3 rooms, kitchen, etc.

Duplex No. 112 Washington Ave., known as "Glendale" just half block off beach, is on lot approximately 110x110; has 2 parlors, dining room, kitchen, porches, 3 bed rooms, bath, hall, screened; hot water; pecan trees and pear trees.

TERMS WILL BE LIBERAL, AS ANNOUNCED DAY OF AUCTION

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HOTEL WESTON
Menu for Sunday Dinner, April 19,
12:30 to 2 P. M.
Sardine Canape
Oyster Cocktail
Celestine Olives
Vegetable Soup
Soft Shell Crabs on Toast
Fried Young Chicken
New Potatoes in Cream
New String Beans with Cheese.
Kale
Fruit Salad
Ice Cream Sundae
Coffee, Tea, Milk
\$1.25

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.
\$5.00 REWARD
For return of my Bull Bitch, answers to the name of "Lily". See name and initials, G. B. P., on collar. Geo. E. Fitcher, Cedar Point.

FOR SALE.
Three cottages, 203, 207 and 217 Julia St. Apply at once to Mrs. L. C. Smith, Phone 152-J.

COTTAGES FOR SALE ON NORTH BEACH FRONT.
Does this appeal to you? Call Mrs. L. C. Smith, at Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois', Main street.

FOR SALE.
Mahogany bedroom sets; living room furniture; dining room set; curtain, draperies and shades, oil stove, wood stove, etc. for sale on account of going away. Mrs. Harvey Minton, Kiln, Miss. Bay telephone for further information, 339-J.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS WITHIN THE SIDEWALK DISTRICT.

On Main Street from Touline Street, to Dunbar Avenue on the north side and from Touline Street to St. Francis Street on the south side of Main Street, the City of Bay St. Louis hereby gives that sidewalks within the territory previously declared by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen shall be constructed according to the following specifications:

SPECIFICATIONS FOR SIDEWALKS.
Contractors will do all grading, be it excavation or embankment. Also all clearing and grubbing for prices named in bid for sidewalk.

All perishable or otherwise defective materials on which may be considered defective material, shall be removed from the work before any cement is laid.

Embankments shall be thoroughly tamped in layers as work progresses.

The sub-grade shall be firm and thoroughly tamped and shall be smoothly dressed before the concrete is laid, and shall be 4 inches below grade and free from all roots.

CONCRETE BASE.
Bottom course shall be 3 inches thick. It shall be mixed in the proportion (by measurement) of one part of Portland cement and two and a half parts of coarse clean sand, five parts of broken concrete. Top course shall be one inch thick. It shall be mixed in the proportion (by measurement) of one part of Portland cement and two and a half parts of coarse clean sand, five parts of broken concrete. The concrete shall be thoroughly mixed and shall be added to make a stiff mortar. It will be spread over the bottom course and covered with a 2 inch layer of sand. The concrete shall be laid in a continuous strip, stepped to allow it to settle. It will be finished with a wooden float and then tamped. The concrete shall be finished with a wooden float and then tamped. The concrete shall be finished with a wooden float and then tamped.

walks shall be level where possible or standing slightly and constructed so as not to have a sudden, dangerous or irregular drop.

Approved in open Board this 4th day of April, 1925.

SYLVAN J. LADNER, Secretary.

NOTICE.
Be it ordered by the Board of Hancock County and by the Board of Harrison County, said Boards having mutually agreed to said order, that the Counties of Hancock and Harrison desire to build a bridge connecting the two Counties of Hancock and Harrison over the Bay of St. Louis, and now decide to build said bridge, and the said bridge be a bridge with no tolls charged for traveling on the same and as the said bridge must be built by the two counties and the expense of building said bridge shall be borne by the two counties.

Be it further ordered that the said bridge shall be built by the two counties and the expenses for building said bridge shall be borne as follows, and the bonds of Hancock County shall be issued as follows: Hancock County shall pay 35 per cent of the amount of \$250,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary for said purpose, that is to say, this amount of the costs of said bridge and to bear the amount of bonds so issued in said proportion. This amount being figured on the basis of the benefits to be derived therefrom by each of said counties.

Be it further ordered that the said Boards of Hancock and Harrison Counties now declare that they desire to issue bonds in the amount of \$250,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary for said purpose, said bonds to be issued by the said counties in the proportion of 35 per cent by Hancock County and 65 per cent by Harrison County.

Be it further ordered that the following resolution was unanimously adopted: Whereas, in the opinion of the Boards of Hancock and Harrison Counties, it is necessary to raise funds to build the bridge joining the two counties over the Bay of St. Louis.

Be it therefore resolved that it is the purpose of Hancock and Harrison Counties to issue bonds for the amount of \$250,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, the County of Hancock issuing 87 1/2 per cent of the amount of said bonds for said purpose, that is for the purpose of building the bridge connecting the two counties over the Bay of St. Louis.

Be it further ordered that the Clerk of this Board will have published a copy of this resolution as required by law for the purpose of notifying the taxpayers of Hancock and Harrison Counties of the proposed action of the Boards of Hancock and Harrison Counties in and for the County of Hancock and Harrison Counties, to be called upon and asked to contribute to make a survey and do all things necessary to prepare plans and specifications for the building of the said bridge joining the two counties over the Bay of St. Louis, the two counties agreeing to pay the usual charges charged by the Highway Commission for the expense of the said engineers, the counties paying these charges on the basis of territory.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.
Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, at the office of the Clerk of said Board, before 11 o'clock A. M.,

MONDAY, MAY 4, 1925,
for building and graveling the Waveland-Kiln Road from Station 0600 to Station 7900, as per plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the amount of his bid.

Each bid shall be accompanied by certified or cashier's check in the sum of \$1,000.00.

This the 9th day of April, A. D. 1925.

A. A. KERGOSENI, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.
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MONDAY, MAY 4, 1925,
for building and graveling the Bay St. Louis-Poplarville Road from Station 2000 to Station 6000, as per plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The successful bidder shall furnish bond in the amount of his bid.

Each bid shall be accompanied by certified or cashier's check in the sum of \$1,000.00.

This the 9th day of April, A. D. 1925.

A. A. KERGOSENI, Clerk.
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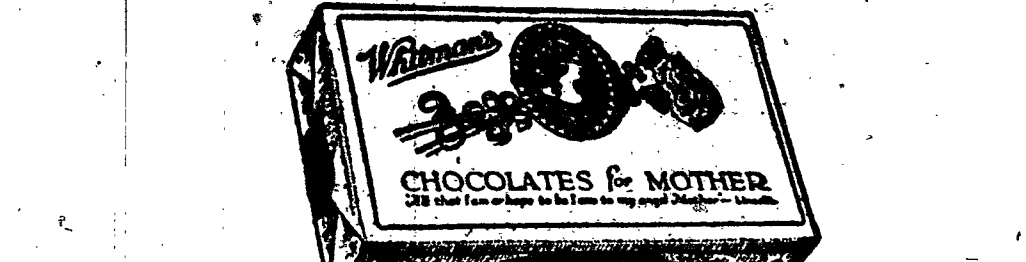
Today we are decorating the graves of those who paid the supreme sacrifice as a public duty.

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MONDAY, MAY 4, 1925,
for building and hard surfacing with vitrified brick pavement, certain streets in the City of Bay St. Louis, as per plans and specifications on file in the Clerk's office.